

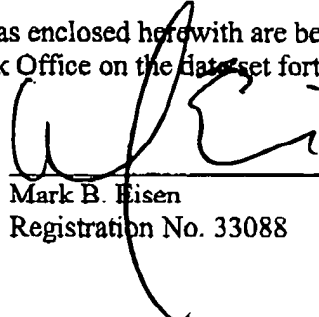
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Device and Apparatus

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Official Action
Dated: November 7, 2001

Dear Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS

The Examiner has not indicated whether the drawings as filed are acceptable, and has not provided a Notice of Patent Draftsperson's Drawing Review. If corrected drawings are required, the applicant requests that the Examiner provide a Notice of Patent Draftsperson's Drawing Review, and that the filing of corrected formal drawings be deferred until following allowance. ✓

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 21 as follows: